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Rear Admiral Robert W. Schmitt Deputy Director Defense Intelligence Agency

Dear Admiral Schmitt,

On behalf of the National Intelligence Officers, I wish to thank you for joining us at our annual retreat on 27 May and to express our appreciation for the time that you spent with us to discuss "A Community Manager's Perspective of National Intelligence Estimates."

Your thoughtful presentation and subsequent remarks were well-received, and the insights that you provided to us will help us chart the future course of the estimative process.

We appreciate your active support of the National Intelligence Council, and we look forward to our continued and productive association.

Very respectfully,

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